STATE OF MINNESOTA

SPECIAL SESSION — 2005

EIGHTH DAY

SAINT PAUL, MINNESOTA, TUESDAY, JUNE 7, 2005

The House of Representatives convened at 2:00 p.m. and was called to order by Marty Seifert, Speaker pro tempore.

Prayer was offered by the Reverend Lonnie E. Titus, House Chaplain.

The members of the House gave the pledge of allegiance to the flag of the United States of America.

Speaker pro tempore Seifert called Abrams to the Chair.

The roll was called and the following members were present:

Abeler	Dittrich	Hilstrom	Larson	Otremba	Simpson
Abrams	Dorman	Hilty	Lenczewski	Ozment	Slawik
Anderson, B.	Dorn	Holberg	Lesch	Paulsen	Smith
Anderson, I.	Eastlund	Hoppe	Liebling	Pelowski	Soderstrom
Beard	Ellison	Hornstein	Lieder	Penas	Solberg
Bernardy	Emmer	Hortman	Lillie	Peppin	Sykora
Blaine	Entenza	Hosch	Loeffler	Peterson, A.	Thao
Bradley	Erhardt	Howes	Magnus	Peterson, N.	Thissen
Brod	Erickson	Huntley	Mahoney	Peterson, S.	Tingelstad
Buesgens	Finstad	Jaros	Marquart	Poppe	Urdahl
Carlson	Fritz	Johnson, J.	McNamara	Powell	Vandeveer
Charron	Garofalo	Johnson, R.	Meslow	Rukavina	Wagenius
Cornish	Gazelka	Johnson, S.	Moe	Ruth	Walker
Cox	Goodwin	Juhnke	Mullery	Sailer	Wardlow
Cybart	Greiling	Kahn	Murphy	Samuelson	Welti
Davids	Gunther	Kelliher	Nelson, M.	Scalze	Westerberg
Davnie	Hackbarth	Knoblach	Nelson, P.	Seifert	Westrom
Dean	Hamilton	Koenen	Newman	Sertich	Wilkin
DeLaForest	Hansen	Kohls	Nornes	Severson	Zellers
Demmer	Hausman	Krinkie	Olson	Sieben	Spk. Sviggum
Dempsey	Heidgerken	Lanning	Opatz	Simon	

A quorum was present.

Atkins, Clark, Dill, Eken, Klinzing, Latz, Mariani, Paymar and Ruud were excused.

The Chief Clerk proceeded to read the Journals of the preceding days. McNamara moved that further reading of the Journals be suspended and that the Journals be approved as corrected by the Chief Clerk. The motion prevailed.

INTRODUCTION AND FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS

The following House Files were introduced:

Kahn introduced:

H. F. No. 45, A bill for an act relating to public employment; modifying pay equity reporting requirements for political subdivisions; amending Minnesota Statutes 2004, section 471.999.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Rules and Legislative Administration.

Kahn introduced:

H. F. No. 46, A bill for an act relating to state government; proposing an amendment to the Minnesota Constitution, article IV, by adding a section; allowing the legislature to provide for a referendum on specified spending issues.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Rules and Legislative Administration.

Kahn introduced:

H. F. No. 47, A bill for an act relating to state government; authorizing the State Lottery to lease space for and operate a casino in the main terminal of the Minneapolis-St. Paul International Airport; appropriating money; amending Minnesota Statutes 2004, sections 349A.01, by adding a subdivision; 349A.10, subdivisions 2, 3, 5; 349A.11, subdivision 1; 541.20; 541.21; 609.75, subdivision 3; 609.761, subdivision 2; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 349A.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Rules and Legislative Administration.

Vandeveer introduced:

H. F. No. 48, A bill for an act relating to taxation; income; amending the education credit; amending Minnesota Statutes 2004, section 290.0674, subdivision 2.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Rules and Legislative Administration.

Vandeveer introduced:

H. F. No. 49, A bill for an act relating to taxation; income; abolishing the alternative minimum tax for individuals and corporations; amending Minnesota Statutes 2004, sections 289A.25, subdivision 5; 290.02; 290.06, subdivisions 30, 31; 290.491; 298.01, subdivisions 3d, 4e; 469.316, subdivision 1; 469.317; 469.337; repealing Minnesota Statutes 2004, sections 290.0674, subdivision 3; 290.091; 290.0921; 298.01, subdivisions 3c, 4d.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Rules and Legislative Administration.

Vandeveer introduced:

H. F. No. 50, A bill for an act relating to local government; requiring a super majority vote by the county to transfer certain local assessment responsibilities; amending Minnesota Statutes 2004, section 273.055.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Rules and Legislative Administration.

Vandeveer introduced:

H. F. No. 51, A bill for an act relating to capital investment; appropriating money for construction of certain interchanges on marked Interstate Highway 35E; authorizing the issuance of state trunk highway bonds.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Rules and Legislative Administration.

Vandeveer introduced:

H. F. No. 52, A bill for an act proposing an amendment to the Minnesota Constitution by adding a section to article XIII; requiring a one-year residency in the state before receiving welfare or health care benefits.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Rules and Legislative Administration.

Meslow introduced:

H. F. No. 53, A bill for an act relating to legislative enactments; correcting miscellaneous oversights, inconsistencies, ambiguities, unintended results, and technical errors; amending Minnesota Statutes 2004, sections 65A.08, subdivision 2, as amended, if enacted; 66A.02, as amended, if enacted; Laws 2003, First Special Session chapter 11, article 2, section 21, as amended; Laws 2005, chapter 20, article 1, section 7, subdivision 15; Laws 2005, chapter 20, article 1, section 21, subdivision 5.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Rules and Legislative Administration.

Lenczewski introduced:

H. F. No. 54, A bill for an act relating to health; imposing a cigarette cost mitigation fee; providing a funds transfer; amending Minnesota Statutes 2004, section 325D.32, subdivision 9; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 62J.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Rules and Legislative Administration.

Lenczewski introduced:

H. F. No. 55, A bill for an act relating to taxation; increasing the cigarette tax; modifying the dedication of cigarette tax revenues; imposing a floor stocks tax; amending Minnesota Statutes 2004, sections 297F.05, subdivision 1; 297F.10, subdivision 1.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Rules and Legislative Administration.

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Peterson, S.; Johnson, J.; Erhardt; Simon and Carlson introduced:

H. F. No. 56, A bill for an act relating to traffic regulations; regulating high-occupancy vehicle lanes; amending Minnesota Statutes 2004, section 160.93, subdivision 4.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Rules and Legislative Administration.

Kahn introduced:

H. F. No. 57, A bill for an act relating to state government; providing a process for community ownership of the Minnesota Twins; proposing coding for new law as Minnesota Statutes, chapter 4B.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Rules and Legislative Administration.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS

Gazelka moved that his name be stricken as an author on H. F. No. 19. The motion prevailed.

Emmer moved that the names of Erickson, Soderstrom, Nornes and Dempsey be added as authors on H. F. No. 28. The motion prevailed.

Emmer moved that the names of Erickson and Soderstrom be added as authors on H. F. No. 29. The motion prevailed.

Huntley moved that the names of Greiling; Johnson, R., and Fritz be added as authors on H. F. No. 41. The motion prevailed.

MOTION TO SUSPEND RULES

Olson moved that the rules be so far suspended that House Concurrent Resolution No. 2 be recalled from the Committee on Rules and Legislative Administration and be placed upon its adoption.

A roll call was requested and properly seconded.

The question was taken on the Olson motion and the roll was called. There were 41 yeas and 80 nays as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Abeler	Eastlund	Heidgerken	Krinkie	Opatz	Thao
Anderson, B.	Erhardt	Hortman	Larson	Otremba	Thissen
Buesgens	Erickson	Hosch	Liebling	Pelowski	Tingelstad
Cox	Fritz	Jaros	Lillie	Peterson, S.	Urdahl
Demmer	Goodwin	Johnson, J.	Marquart	Rukavina	Walker
Dittrich	Greiling	Juhnke	Moe	Scalze	Welti
Dorman	Hausman	Koenen	Olson	Simon	

Those who voted in the negative were:

Abrams	DeLaForest	Holberg	Mahoney	Peterson, N.	Solberg
Anderson, I.	Dempsey	Hoppe	McNamara	Poppe	Sykora
Beard	Dorn	Hornstein	Meslow	Powell	Vandeveer
Bernardy	Ellison	Howes	Mullery	Ruth	Wagenius
Blaine	Emmer	Huntley	Murphy	Sailer	Wardlow
Bradley	Finstad	Johnson, R.	Nelson, M.	Samuelson	Westerberg
Brod	Garofalo	Johnson, S.	Nelson, P.	Seifert	Westrom
Carlson	Gazelka	Kahn	Newman	Sertich	Wilkin
Charron	Gunther	Knoblach	Nornes	Severson	Zellers
Cornish	Hackbarth	Kohls	Ozment	Sieben	Spk. Sviggum
Cybart	Hamilton	Lanning	Paulsen	Simpson	
Davids	Hansen	Lesch	Penas	Slawik	
Davnie	Hilstrom	Lieder	Peppin	Smith	
Dean	Hilty	Loeffler	Peterson, A.	Soderstrom	

The motion did not prevail.

ADJOURNMENT

Seifert moved that when the House adjourns today it adjourn until 11:00 a.m., Thursday, June 9, 2005. The motion prevailed.

Seifert moved that the House adjourn. The motion prevailed, and Speaker pro tempore Abrams declared the House stands adjourned until 11:00 a.m., Thursday, June 9, 2005.

ALBIN A. MATHIOWETZ, Chief Clerk, House of Representatives